

“THE ARABIAN RED SEA ROUTE” workshop, Warsaw, 3 July 2017 — PRELIMINARY PROGRAM

Associated event of the **Red Sea VIII Conference** in Warsaw, 4–9 July 2017

MONDAY, 3 July		
Institute of Archaeology, University of Warsaw		
9.00–9.30	WELCOME COFFEE – REGISTRATION	
9.30–11.00	Session 1	
9.30–10.00	Michał GAWLIKOWSKI	Introduction. The first account of the Aynuna Project
10.00–10.30	Ali Ibrahim GHABBAN	<i>Title to be announced</i>
10.30–11.00	Abdullah ZAHRANI	<i>Title to be announced</i>
11.00–11.30	COFFEE BREAK	
11.30–13.00	Session 2	
11.30–12.00	Iwona GAJDA	Contacts between South Arabia and the Roman Empire
12.00–12.30	Leila NEHMÉ	Oriental desert versus Arabian desert. Reflections on the connections between the Egyptian and Arabian shores in the northern Red Sea in Antiquity
12.30–13.00	Marta LUCIANI	Bronze Age precursors on the Red Sea
13.00–14.30	LUNCH	
14.30–16.30	Session 3	
14.30–15.00	Zbigniew FIEMA	To Hegra through al-Qusayr. The al-‘Ula–al-Wajh Survey Project
15.00–15.30	Caroline DURAND	When the merchants from Roman Egypt meet the Nabatean caravaneers: recent finds from al-Qusayr (al-Wajh, Saudi Arabia)
15.30–16.00	Rupert BRANDMEIER	Roads of Arabia: New Findings of Aqaba amphorae in the Red Sea
16.00–16.30	Marcin WAGNER	<i>Title to be announced</i>
16.30–17.00	COFFEE BREAK	

17.00–18.30	Session 4	
17.00–17.30	Ralph K. PEDERSEN	“Wither Sailest Thou?” Red Sea originations and destinations through the lens of ship technology
17.30–18.00	Zeeshan SHAIKH	Placing ancient sailors in a time–space framework: visualizing ancient voyages of the Red Sea from a time geography perspective
18.00–18.30	Mateusz LISAK	The conditions and circumstances of discovery of a sea route to India: the issues of open-sea travel and the Bab el-Mandeb barrier
18.30–20.00	Discussion	
20.00	DINNER	